

City Inaugurates Street Repairs To Cope With Heavy Bridge Traffic

WEATHER

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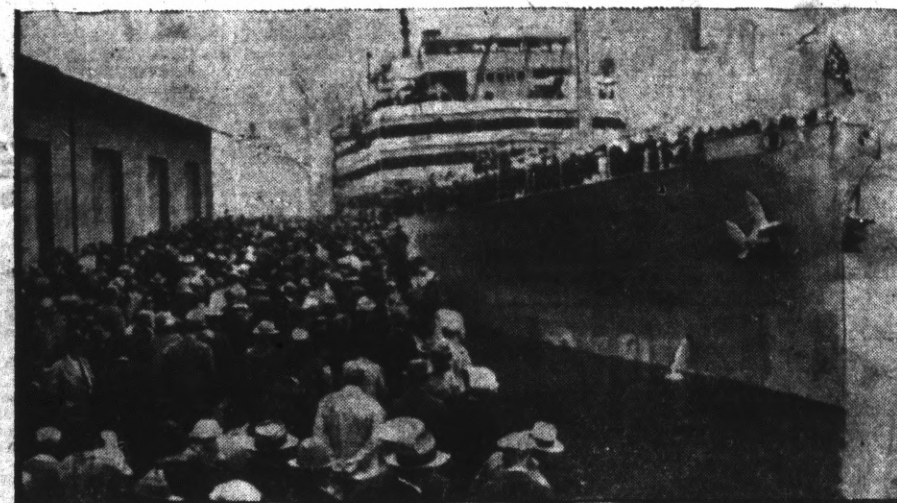
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MURDER CHARGE IS FACED BY ALLEGED PROHI AGENT SLAYERS

DEATH TOLL INCREASES IN TEXAS TORNADO AREA

1,500 Devil Dogs Leave For China War Zone

One thousand five hundred marines leave the good old U. S. for China. Photo picture shows U. S. Transport Henderson clearing dock at San Diego, with 6th Regiment, which concentrated there. Look at crowd wishing them bon voyage!



(By Pacific & Atlantic)

Hundreds of Chinese are Killed In Attack on Concession; U. S. Awaits Answer to Ultimatum

(By Universal Service) SHANGHAI, April 13.—At Nationalist headquarters this evening it was declared that women and children preceded the attackers in Pao-Shan road this afternoon in the assault on the Commercial Press library compound when a mob of 12,000 attempted to invade the compound and recover arms and ammunition seized by the Nationalist troops Tuesday.

As a result, the troops were compelled to open fire, when the ferocious throng threatened to storm and annihilate the soldiers guarding the library. Also the

Huchow guild, formerly the headquarters of the general labor union, according to the Nationalist statement.

A check reveals that 360 Chinese wounded have been admitted to the hospitals. Two hundred and thirty Chinese in the mob were killed by machine gun fire.

Eye-witnesses of the affray declare the machine gunners were relentless in maintaining fire.

The Nationalists this evening officially announced the casualties in Tuesday's raid totaled

RICHMOND TO OBSERVE U. S. FOREST WEEK

Plans for Richmond's observance of American Forest Week, April 24-30, inclusive, will be made by the Civic Affairs committee of the Richmond Chamber of Commerce, meeting at 7:30 o'clock tonight in the headquarters of the Chamber.

C. C. Kratzer, chairman of the committee, is anxious to have a full attendance.

The committee, in addition to Chairman Kratzer, comprises J. C. Hitchcock, W. C. Dobler, A. L. Paulsen, R. T. Osborn, Nora Ashfeld, J. A. Rihn, Norah McNeil, W. Snelgrove.

In addition to observance of American Forest Week, the committee will consider several other matters of direct civic interest.

This is the first meeting this committee has held this year but, from now on it promises to be one of the most active committees in the Chamber of Commerce.

Air Mail Pilot Escapes Death

(By Universal Service) SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—Milo Campbell, Pacific Air Transport pilot, narrowly escaped death this afternoon when his plane plunged into the bay. Campbell was returning to Crissy field from Santa Barbara when engine trouble suddenly developed. When the plane struck the water, Campbell climbed out on a wing and signaled for help. A tug responded and towed the plane to Crissy field.

Local Couple Are Wed In Santa Rosa

P. A. Thomsen, prominent local tobacco merchant, and Miss Christina Kriger, 629 Thirty-fourth street, slipped away yesterday to Santa Rosa and were married at the Lutheran church. The newly married couple were accompanied by Mrs. and Mrs. George Glum and will make their residence at the Myrtle apartments.

ON CAMPING TRIP

David and Donald Shoemaker, sons of Mrs. Mary Shoemaker, 1024 Barrett avenue, are enjoying a several days' camping trip in Marin county.

Huge Traffic Increase Seen In Opening Of Carquinez

Repairs Are Started On Thirteenth Street; As County Bids Called

In preparation for the opening of the great Carquinez Bridge and the subsequent flow of motor traffic through Richmond from the North, and from San Francisco, the city of Richmond and the county of Contra Costa are putting in "considerable street and road repairs along the most direct route to and from the Richmond-San Francisco auto ferry operated by the Southern Pacific, according to a report made by Chairman W. W. Scott of the transportation committee of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday noon at New Hotel Carquinez.

"After studying the situation in conjunction traffic officials of the Southern Pacific," said Scott, "it was determined that the most direct route for motorists using the Southern Pacific auto ferry would be Tenth street, Thirteenth street, thence to the Kearney road to junction with San Pablo avenue." (Continued on Page 8)

Street Sign To Be Completed

With the erection of the structural steel framework on the great Richmond street sign at Macdonald and San Pablo avenues, it is expected the sign will be completed within a few days, City Engineer E. A. Hoffman announced yesterday.

Hamilton Leaves For Monterey

Charles B. Hamilton, manager of the Hamilton chain of hotels, left for Monterey this morning on a short business trip. Hamilton's chain of hotels include the Hotel Carquinez, where he is now making his residence.

Aviation Expert Is Killed In Air Crash

(By Universal Service) WASHINGTON, April 13.—Homer I. Sands, aviation expert in the department of commerce, was killed when a plane in which he was flying crashed at Bolling field here today. John L. Hoesch, flying with him, was seriously injured.

Reconsider Toll Franchise Today

SACRAMENTO, April 13.—Lieutenant Governor Byron Pitts put over one day his ruling on the motion of Senator Green for reconsideration of a bill to extend the American Toll Bridge franchise to 50 years.

I. R. VAUGHN ILL

I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer, is seriously ill at his home in Tenth street from an attack of pneumonia.

MRS. CONLEY ON VISIT

Mrs. Lester Conley, of 5621 Barrett avenue, is spending a week with relatives in Lincoln and Sacramento.

GO TO KANSAS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop have left for Kansas City, where they will visit relatives for three weeks. Bishop is head foreman of the store department at the Santa Fe shops here.

PROPERTY LOSS ESTIMATED AT OVER \$500,000

Black Funneled Monster Causes Untold Damage In Five Minutes' Time

ROCK SPRINGS, Tex., April 13.—Sixty-two are dead, 20 are dying, and more than 100 are known to be injured today after the tornado which swept through this little Texas town of 100 population.

The estimated property damage is \$500,000. It may run higher. The dead and injured represent about 25 percent of the population of the town, county seat of Edwards county. Most of the victims, if not all, it is believed, have been removed from the debris.

Late today Rock Springs buried her first dead in hurriedly excavated graves. Part of the force of rescue workers were assigned to the building of coffins from the lumber that could be salvaged from the street.

Detachments from the Fifth U. S. machine gun squadron, from Fort Clark, have placed the town under military rule.

A blustering wind that came from the northeast shortly after six o'clock Tuesday evening was the only warning Rock Springs had of the tornado. No one paid any attention to the wind and the threatening skies. A spring storm and nothing more.

The earth at battle, the whirling (Continued on Page 5)

ARMY TO ENTER BALLOON RACES

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The army will be represented by four teams in the national elimination balloon race at Akron on May 23, the war department announced today. About 14 entries will participate in all.

The three winners will represent this country in the Gordon-Bennett international balloon race to be held in the United States this year. The army teams selected were:

Team No. 1, 1st Lieut. Paul Ewart, pilot, and 2nd Lieut. Reginald R. Gillespie, aide, both of Langley field; Team No. 2, 1st Lieut. James F. Powell, of Scott field, pilot, and Reserve Major Maurice R. Smith, of Kansas City, aide; Team No. 3, Captain Wm. E. Kepner, pilot, and Second Lieut. Wm. C. Eareckson, aide, both of Scott field; Team No. 4, 1st Lieut. Frank M. McKee, of Columbus, pilot, and Samuel T. Moore, of Springfield, Mass., aide.

Rev. W. P. Grant To Conduct Pre-Easter Services This Week

First Methodist church of Point Richmond, will conduct a pre-Easter service at the Point Richmond church tonight at 7:30. His subject will be "In Remembrance of Me." On Friday evening at 7:30 his subject will be "The Crucifixion—Was It Necessary in the World's Redemption?" Sacramento will follow.

Divorce Decree Is Given Mrs. Trask

MARTINEZ, April 13.—Mrs. Anna Trask was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Edward Trask, of Richmond, by Superior Judge H. V. Alvarado today. The grounds of action were given as willful desertion and neglect. The plaintiff was represented by T. N. Calfee.

BRUNER SERIOUSLY ILL

A. Bruner has been seriously ill at his home from an attack of lead poisoning. Bruner is a pioneer painting contractor.

Daily S. F.-Los Angeles Air Service Is Reality

Giant Monoplane To Fly Between Cities; Fare Is \$48.50

(By Universal Service) SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—Just lunching in San Francisco, enjoy a cup of tea in Fresno or Bakersfield and sit down to dinner in Los Angeles!

A daily airplane passenger service between this city and Los Angeles with stops at Fresno and Bakersfield will become a reality tomorrow. The Pacific Air Transport company announced here tonight.

At 1:15 tomorrow afternoon, a giant four passenger monoplane, a duplicate of the plane used by Commander Byrd in his historic flight over the North Pole, will hop off from Crissy field at the Presidio.

Winging its way southward, the plane will stop at Fresno at 3:15; Bakersfield, 4:45; and arrive in Los Angeles at 6:15.

Northbound, the plane will leave Los Angeles at 12:01 a. m.; Bakersfield, 1:45; Fresno, 3:30; and land at Crissy field here at 5:30.

The one way fare between San Francisco and Los Angeles will be \$45.00.

Officials of the Pacific Air Transport company said they were considering the establishment of an airplane passenger service between San Francisco, Portland and Seattle.

A 10 hour daylight express passenger service between Seattle and Los Angeles, will be a reality by mid-summer, officials of the company said.

Calder Tells Kiwanis Club Of Bridge Feat

The Richmond Kiwanis club was entertained yesterday by a vivid recital of the difficulties surmounted in the construction of the Carquinez Straits bridge. George Calder, vice-president of the American Toll Bridge company, described the length, height, and features of the huge structure, and declared that the preliminary underwater operations in construction of the pier took over two years.

Anton Nelson was chairman of the day. Mrs. Ross Calfee and Mr. Marshall entertained with duet and solo numbers.

4 Machines Involved In Freak Accident

Four machines were involved in what narrowly averted being a tragedy yesterday morning when the machine of Miss Verna Parks, stenographer at the Certain-teed Products company office ran into a parked automobile when she swerved to avoid a collision with another car. The parked machine plunged forward and crashed into two others. All vehicles were badly damaged. Miss Parks escaped injury.

LEAVE FRIDAY FOR GILROY

Mrs. E. E. Bromwell left yesterday for her home in Gilroy after a two days' visit here with her sister, Mrs. C. L. Bergstresser, and brother, Arthur M. Irwin.

BIBBER—New barber shop and bathhouse to be built.

AGRELLA CLAIMS SLAYING OF PROHI WAS ACCIDENT; ADMITS HE TRAILED CAR FOR REVENGE

MAMOLA FIRED FIRST SHOTS SAYS ALLEGED MURDERER, REVOLVER DISCHARGED BY ACCIDENT

Charges of murder are expected to be brought today against Joseph Agrella and his three companions, Homer Lusk, Joseph Cambra and Stanley Czekiel, arrested by Oakland police early yesterday morning, an hour after they are alleged to have slain Joseph S. Mamola, Alameda county undercover agent, in a gun duel at Twelfth street and Chanslor avenue.

In a confession made yesterday to Deputy District Attorney James F. Hoey and Chief of Police Dan Cox, Agrella admitted that revenge had been the motive for the attack on the prohibition agent. Agrella admitted that the fatal shot was fired by Mamola's own gun while he was struggling with the agent. Agrella denied having been armed.

The body of the undercover agent was taken by auto near to San Jose last night for interment.

Agrella, in his confession yesterday, claimed that he had no intention of killing the prohibition agent, merely wanting to "beat him up." He admitted that he dragged Mamola from his car when it stalled at Twelfth street and Chanslor avenue but said that Mamola came out shooting.

The shot which killed Mamola, he asserted, was fired while both men were clutching the agent's revolver. Agrella insisted that he did not know which of them pulled the trigger.

Agrella and three companions admitted that they had followed Mamola from a dance at the Maryland dance hall in Oakland. The meeting there was accidental. Agrella pointed out Mamola to his friends as the man who had brought about the closing of the establishment of his brother Alfrede, at 1244 Forty-seventh avenue, Oakland, and suggested that they "beat him up." The others agreed. (Continued on Page 3)

CAL WILL SEEK RENOMINATION

By JAMES R. NOURSE (By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Speculation as to whether President Coolidge will be a candidate in 1928 was completely set aside by word today from men high in the councils of his party.

The President has definitely determined to seek a renomination. Formal announcement of his candidacy, it was authoritatively stated, will be withheld until mid-summer, after the return of chairman William M. Butler, of the republican national committee, who left yesterday on a scouting tour which will carry him to the Pacific Coast.

Pending formal announcement, however, it became known that C. Bascom Slemph, who was secretary to the President when Coolidge first entered the White House, has been drafted into service for the purpose of making a preliminary round-up of delegates.

Slemph's specialty in all presidential campaigns has been the corraling of delegates from southern states. His policy has been to get first into the field and secure the selection of delegates favorable to the candidate in whose interest he is laboring and he has been notably successful in gathering a block of southern delegates who can wield a strong influence in the convention.

Slemph performed this office for Coolidge in the pre-convention campaign of 1924, and did the same thing for Harding in 1920.

One reason why the President's backers have decided to put Slemph at work in the southern field so early in the campaign is to head off Lowden, who has also been a strong favorite among the southern delegations. If all goes well, it is expected that he will succeed in having most of the southern delegates "tied up" before Lowden or any other candidate gets started.

ABRAHAM'S HAS CONTRIBUTED A RHINESTONE NECKLACE, GENSER LEE A SILVER CAKE PLATE THAT A CHILD WOULD BE PLEASED TO LAP UP.

Furrier's a box of writing paper that tells no secrets; M. E. Hays a \$50 credit on a lot where business is taboo, La Moine Drug company bath salts and powder that attract lots of attention, Richard Johnson, a merchandise order that does not include chewing tobacco. The Shoe Mart has offered a pair of silver slippers that will keep the wearer in the straight and narrow path (don't crowd). L. H. Schrader Furniture company a bridge lamp, that will span the gap in any conversation (it can't be turned off easily). A. Cash, of Globe Milling company, two sacks of flour that will make the "bestest" biscuits.

It would be a shame to spoil the "show" by divulging all prizes. A porcelain inlaid pair of boxing gloves will be awarded to the man who does not get the cake plate.

Society News

Unsurpassed Shower To Be Tendered The Richmond Merchants

An attractive "treasure trunk" shower will be tendered the members of the Richmond Merchants Association on the occasion of their Get Together ball at Hotel Carquinez, April 25, Marie Macdonald Jensen, secretary, announced yesterday.

Abraham's has contributed a rhinestone necklace, Gensler Lee a silver cake plate that a child would be pleased to lap up. Furrier's a box of writing paper that tells no secrets; M. E. Hays a \$50 credit on a lot where business is taboo, La Moine Drug company bath salts and powder that attract lots of attention, Richard Johnson, a merchandise order that does not include chewing tobacco.

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SCHOOL EXPENDITURE NOT A BURDEN

There is an interesting story of the development and growth of American education, and of our school system in the current issue of the National Republic. It was written by John J. Tigert, United States Commissioner of Education who is a frequent contributor to the National Republic. Mr. Tigert tells in an interesting way of the progress made by the school in America in colonial days, in the Revolutionary days in the early part of the nineteenth century, in the anti-bellum days and in the period following the Civil War. In speaking of the cost of our school system, in his conclusion, Mr. Tigert says:

"Some uninformed persons contend that the mounting school costs are leading toward bankruptcy, but the facts reveal that the cost of education, great as it is, is but a small fraction of the annual income of the nation, or even of the expenditures regularly made for luxuries. The present outlay for education could be considerably increased without encroaching upon any of the nation's economic needs. Furthermore economic progress and prosperity directly correlate with education.

"More than two billion dollars a year are required to support public education at the present time but it is the price which the nation pays for welfare and safety of the republic. Measured in these terms, it is the cheapest commodity we buy. Provision for universal free education is not only a blessing to a nation like ours but is a necessity for its perpetuity. Public government rests upon public education and ignorance has ever been the surest ally to despotism and tyranny.

In no other country in the world has such enthusiasm for education been manifested and such tremendous sums expended for common schools and institutions of higher learning as here.

"In the United States we are commuted to a free state, free religion and free education. The federal government has been wisely separated from the functions of knowledge and religion. But, nevertheless, the American people may be averred to have a passion and a faith in religion and education which are more truly the expression of an ideal of all the people than can be said of any other matter that has ever concerned us as a nation."

Princess Tchernitchew has sailed from New York for Russia to try to arrange for the payment of the Russian debt to the United States. When it comes to courage Hercules didn't have anything on the Princess.

Men Who Made the World



RICHARD WAS DESPERATE AND IN THAT DESPERATION WAS BORN THE IDEA OF MARCHING SOUTHWEST INTO EGYPT AND SEIZING CAIRO. FROM WHICH THE SARACENS RECEIVED NEARLY ALL THE PROVISIONS FOR THEIR ARMIES. BY PROCEEDING THUS, HIS TROOPS WOULD AT LEAST GET SOMETHING TO EAT. IT IS DOUBTFUL WHETHER OR NOT RICHARD TOOK THIS PLAN SERIOUSLY, BUT AT LEAST IT WAS A DIVERSION—IT WAS NOT QUITE A RETREAT. HOWEVER, AS SOON AS THE ARABIES COMMENCED TO MARCH AND THE TROOPS REALIZED THAT THEIR IDEALS AND ASPIRATIONS WHICH HAD INSPIRED THE CRUSADE WERE AT AN END, THEY WERE ENRAGED.

Personal Health Service

By WILLIAM BRADY, M. D.

Signed letters pertaining to personal health and hygiene, not to disease diagnosis or treatment, will be answered by Dr. Brady if a stamped, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Letters should be brief and written in ink. Owing to the large number of letters received, only a few can be answered. No reply can be made to queries not conforming to instructions. Address Dr. William Brady, in care of this newspaper. Name your city on your return envelope. Don't say "city."

THIS REDUCING BUSINESS.

If the suicide rate in the United States is, say 2.3 per hundred thousand population it is quite normal to find one or two cases of suicide or attempted suicide among students in colleges each month. Play these up, feature them, get "savants" to give their views about them, clubs to discuss them, and presently you have a "suicide wave" in our colleges. Most of it is the bunk, and the rest of it is the innate desire of most people for publicity. If the student today is a heavy contributor to the mortality tables in this way it is only because there are relatively and actually so many more of him to contribute than at any past time.

Some of us doctors and health experts as fond as the next fellow of publicity, have recently made considerable noise about the "reduction craze." We have even pulled off a nation-wide belief that is the proper term for it—a nation-wide "conference" about the alarming situation and what we doctors and health experts ought to do about it. This "conference" scheme is an excellent one for publicity purposes—it gets good front page space for the "movement" itself, and some of the doctors and health experts understand very well how to grab hold of the movement and get dragged right into the front page of the awful public prints. Lest this sound like crying over sour grapes, I beg to add that I myself am always glad to grab hold of anything that offers a chance to make the front page. This front page stuff is all very well, but just the same there's a grand thrill about front page mention.

For several years prior to the conference at which the nation-wide campaign or whatever it is was launched, I too, "suffered" at the girls were getting fat. But reduction and accordingly I have been bending backward in an earnest endeavor to discourage the evil. I mean to fight it out on this line if it alienates the affection of all the nice plump young women in the country. No one ever has received and no one ever will receive from me any advice, instruction or encouragement about reduction unless I am satisfied the elixir or correspondent ought to reduce.

But it strikes me, now that the big push is on and some of my esteemed colleagues are getting more front page space than I really like to see competitors get, it strikes me that one seldom encounters in the flesh, or more correctly in the bone, these dreadful wrecks that the leaders in the adult weight conference—every participant is a leader, of course—conjure up as the dire effect of unwise reduction. There is no reasonable doubt that some persons do sacrifice their health in the rage to reduce, especially by the use of medicines which purport to take off fat harmlessly. But with the long campaign to educate the people regarding the dangers in patent medicines have we materially changed the attitude of the nostrum addicted class? Is this present hullabaloo about the reduction fad any more likely to influence the dumbbells that dabble with dangerous reduction methods?

So far as the teachable portion of the population is concerned, the "reduction craze" is confined to conversation. Fatish folk love to talk about reduction, but they seldom are foolish enough to do anything about it without proper medical direction.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

It's Tough for the Kids

In the announcements enclosed you will note that goats' milk, which I believe you recommend for infant feeding, costs only a dollar a quart delivered, but is to be reduced to the ridiculously low price of 75 cents a quart delivered. What do you get out of it?

F.D.M.
Answer—A pain. I should think people with kids to feed would get a goat of their own. Lots of people in villages and small towns might well keep a goat.

Iodin Is Iodine and Also Iodum
Is there any substantial difference between Iodin and Iodine? My druggist declared they are one and the same thing.

F.M.
Answer—Iodin is present day spelling for Iodine, and we have still another way of spelling it, in Latin, namely, Iodum.

Feeling the Amputated Member
I have read in a book on Psychical Research by the Rev. Mr. Duff and T. G. Allen, M.D., that there is some connection between the patient and an amputated member.

A man who has lost a finger by blood poisoning says he feels pain in the end of the amputated finger if he strikes the nerve ever so slightly.

P.A.E.
Answer—Yes, and if you strike your "funny bone" just inside the tip of the elbow (ulnar nerve) you feel the tingling or pain in the little finger and ring finger—for the stimulation of a sensory nerve is referred to the region the nerve supplies. Nothing "psychic" about that.

Flapper Explained

I am 17, a senior in high school, and sometimes I am called a "flapper," because I put on the know it all air. The reason for this is simple enough and maybe the reason most young girls do as I do. I don't know a thing, isn't it time that I should be told something about life. I mean in a decent way? What is your opinion of Judge Ben Lindsey's "The Revolt of Modern Youth?"

M.R.
Answer—You should have been told something about life several years ago. I'll send you the information I think a girl of your age should have, if you will accompany your request with a stamped envelope bearing your address. I think Judge Lindsey's book is not fit reading for any girl who has not yet received elementary instruction about life. It is rather a technical study for pathologists or criminologists.

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The Marriage Game

As Played to a Decision

Every Day By

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hutton

M.H.

MADAME HAS HER DAY

His play—Why is it a woman is always ridiculous when she butts into a sphere of activity that is primarily one belonging to the gentlemen of the world? There's that police commissioner from London; how silly she appears in her uniform and how absurd to hear her shrill treble chatter about big bad criminals and so on. A woman is never agreeable or at-

YOUR BOY AND YOUR GIRL

By ARTHUR DEAN, SC. D.

The Parent Counselor

Dr. Dean will answer all signed letters pertaining to parents' problems with their boys and girls. Writers' names are never printed. Only questions of general interest answered in this column, but all letters will be answered by mail if written in ink and a stamp, self-addressed envelope is enclosed. Address Arthur Dean, in care of this paper.

SALVAGE

"What did you drop?" asked her roommate.

"Oh, nothing but a pin," replied the girl.

"What are you going to do with that pile of junk?" questioned the neighbor.

"Oh, nothing, I'll just push it out into the field and let her rot," grinned the owner.

"What are you going to do about Johnnie Smatterin?" asked one teacher of another.

"Oh, nothing but make him take this year's work over again," was the response.

Pins cost so little, automobiles are so cheap, and so what's the use of bothering.

But—are our children cheap? Even a pin represents material and labor cost, and everyone knows that its costs time and labor of thousands of people who are concerned with making an automobile—miners, forgers, machinists, upholsterers, painters, freight handlers.

When we junk a boy we are throwing away a piece of human machinery which has cost us time, love, money, care. Henry Ford's new scheme is to turn his attention to rebuilding his cars at a cost, as he says, of about \$60.

If Ford can rebuild one of his cars for \$60, how much would it cost to rebuild a child which the school system wants to junk?

Every child that is not promoted costs the school system good dollars and the child a good year. The economic and spiritual wastage resulting from non-promotion is frightful.

Has your school system a "salvage class," by means of which a pupil can make up his deficiencies and give attention to the subjects in which he is weakest?

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Matinee Ladies

By William B. Courtney

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"MATINEE LADIES," with May McAvoy, is a Warner Bros. pictureization of this novel.

Rob Ward, working his way through college, is informed by his chums, Freddy and Arch, that they have found an easy and profitable way to earn money—working as dancing partners, of afternoons, for rich women in a fashionable New Jersey roadhouse. Bob thinks it isn't a fit way to make a living; but, faced with election for unpaid room, reluctantly agrees to go to the roadhouse. There he sees the prettiest girl he has ever laid eyes on. She is Sally, the cigarette girl. Mazie Revere, a gold-digger, is jealous.

CHAPTER V—Continued

Mazie Revere was a pretty jaded Jane. Deprived of a dance, she indignantly turned to seek fun in the rooming of Sally Smith, the little cigarette girl who stood streamingly before her, staring out upon Bob Ward. Starting out upon a shining, dappled sea that traced a joyous path to tales of romance, of untroubled content.

For Sally Smith's bluestones were still buoyantly around her head; while Mazie Revere's were in fact under her expensive French heels.

So Mazie, the taste of sour grapes strong within her carmine lips, sneered. "What old necker do you wear?"

"See the way that old necker looks on that football hero?" Then, more calmly, adding, "He seems to like it, too!"

"He does not!" Sally Smith's feet were tiny, but they could stamp upon a floor with a most emphatic show of indignation. There were battle flags glinting in

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After all, were giving value for pay received, which is the fundamental principle of honest work. We're providing many of these women with the only joy and fun they have in life. Don't be too ready to condemn them, or even to sneer at them. Show 'em how what kind of home lives they have—what drives them out to play here? What kind of miserly, grouchy husbands? Let them have their fun—and show 'em how fifty bucks by providing it for them."

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"We don't know," laughed Freddy. "Nobody knows. She's a real lady of mystery."

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Society and Club News

DOUBLE SHOWER IS GIVEN TO BRIDES-ELECT

The George V. McCausland home at Twenty-third and Bush streets, San Pablo, was the scene of a gay event Tuesday evening when the Misses Selma and Clara Minssen, brides-elect, were honored with a double shower.

Miss Selma Minssen is to become the bride of Jesse L. Rice of Richmond, an employee of the Key System, while Miss Clara Minssen will be the bride of John Kemp of Richmond, an employee of the Standard Oil company.

An assortment of beautiful gifts were received by the two honored guests. Refreshments were served by Mrs. McCausland.

Present at the affair were: Messrs. and Mesdames George McCausland, Charles Shook, T. W. Wallbank, J. A. Pownell, C. W. O'Rourke, E. R. Hurlburt, Walter McCausland, E. O. Jackson, Mrs. C. B. Minssen, Mrs. Lido Dearborn, Mrs. J. Oliver, Misses Ivy McCausland, Frances Whisler, Margaret Whittier, Bonnie Sisson, Pansy McCausland, Phyllis Wallbank, Frances Seyferth, Vera May Jackson, Jewell Jaquayne and Messrs. Walter Wallbank, Harry Grey, Lloyd McCausland, Charles McCausland, Jesse Rice and John Kemp.

W. C. T. TO GIVE PUBLIC WHIST ON APRIL 20

Plans for a public whist party to be given by the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters next Wednesday, April 20, were made at a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. A. Carey, 128 South Twelfth street. The organization will meet with Mrs. M. Sullivan, 1330 Bissell avenue, April 27.

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Trinity Lutheran Ladies Aid to Hold Business Meeting

A meeting will be held by the Ladies Aid of the Trinity Lutheran church this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Maertens at Winehaven. A business discussion will occupy the afternoon, following a noon luncheon served by the hostess. Mrs. Fred Hess will preside.

Local St. Andrew's To Entertain S. F. And Oakland Lodges

Mrs. M. Davis and Mrs. George Smith were winners of the ladies' prize given by the St. Andrew's society of Richmond in the club house last evening, while David Robertson and G. O. Jennings were winners of the gentlemen's prizes. Refreshments were served by a committee consisting of Mrs. I. Ives, George Black, James Stuart, and William Wilson.

ANNUAL BALL TO BE GIVEN BY BAYVIEW LODGE

The Bayview lodge 104, of the B.P.F., are giving their annual ball in the Odd Fellows' hall on April 30. Plans for the dance were made at a regular business meeting of the lodge last night. Mrs. Creason and Laura Whitley had charge of the banquet that preceded the regular business meeting.

WEED—Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company to erect new office building here.

MONTROSE—Piggly Wiggly stores to erect new building at Market street and Honolulu avenue.

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CIRCLE NO. 5 TO MEET WITH MRS. JACKSON

Circle Number 5, of the Wesley Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. A. D. Jackson, 753 Twenty-third street this afternoon at 2 o'clock to enjoy a fine program prepared by the hostess.

Mrs. J. W. Martin will preside at the business meeting which will follow. Mrs. Jackson will be assisted by Mrs. Martin and Mrs. W. Downing. A special invitation is extended to all members to be present at the session.

T.F.B. BOOSTER CLUB MEETS AT MRS. OSBORNE'S

Members of the T. F. B. Booster club will meet with Mrs. Lella Osborne this afternoon at 2 o'clock at her home, 2819 Clinton avenue.

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So beautiful has he made them with the aid of his almost painless method of plastic surgery, that almost before they have left his office, they were engaged to be married.

INTERNATIONAL FIGHT LOOMS OVER SACCO VANZETTI CASE

(By Universal Service)
BOSTON, April 13.—What has become renowned around the world as "the Sacco-Vanzetti case," had its beginning in South Braintree, Mass., with two murders.

An April 15, 1920, Frederick Parmer and Alexander Berardelli, respectively paymaster and guard of the Slater-Morrill shoe company, were killed in a holdup when a payroll of \$15,766 was stolen.

Twenty days later Nicola Sacco, a laborer, and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, a fish peddler, were arrested. They were unaturalized Italians, who had lived in the vicinity for several years, were known as radical agitators, had been active in strikes in the industrial communities of that part of Massachusetts.

Vanzetti was identified as a participant in an attack on another shoe factory paymaster in Bridgewater, Mass., and convicted to serve from 10 to 15 years for attempted robbery. Subsequently Sacco and Vanzetti were accused of the South Braintree killings and put on trial before Judge Webster Thayer of the Massachusetts superior court in Dedham on May 30, 1921.

At the time the United States was aroused against radicals, the sleepy little rural community of Dedham was not at all eager to participate in the trial of two aliens who bore what appeared to the townsfolk as a sinister reputation—labor agitators, draft dodgers, communistic workers.

There was great difficulty in getting a jury. More than 500 talemans were called without a panel being obtained; thereafter the sheriff was compelled to seize prospective jurors in the streets, at meetings or wherever he could find them.

The evidence was largely circumstantial. Both men presented alibis. The payroll holdup had taken place in broad daylight and was witnessed by many persons. Identification of Sacco and Vanzetti as participants was the hub of the whole proceeding.

Judge Thayer in his charge told the jury: "There is a most strenuous contest or dispute as to the identity of the murderers. The real issue that you must determine (the identity) is a very narrow one."

Not long ago, Emma Bedford, an opera singer, came to see the doctor at work, moulding the face of a dear friend. The remoulding was done with such wonderful effect, that she decided to place herself in the hands of Dr. Pratt.

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Mrs. Susan O. Simpson, wealthy widow, owner of a New York hotel, looked forty-five when she placed herself in the care of Dr. Pratt. When she left his care she looked no more than thirty and shortly

after that Dan Cupid stepped into the scene, and she eloped with 19 year old Bud Tucker.

Eva Tanguay, famous for her "Don't Care" smile, at forty—found a few crows feet about her eyes—Eva decided the crows feet must be removed so she hid herself over to Dr. Pratt and as soon as he was through with her, Eva announced her engagement to Allan Parado, her 28 year old pianist.

Don't give up hope girls, remember a woman is always as old as she looks, and Dr. Pratt can make you look years and years younger than you are.

gully on July 14. The plight of the two men had attracted little attention for more than a year. Even locally their case was treated as of slight importance.

But the Sacco-Vanzetti defense committee was formed in Boston by Frank Lopez and Aldo Felici, an Italian newspaper man. This committee set out to convince the world Sacco and Vanzetti were victims of tyrannical and unjust persecution by the American courts because they were foreigners and radicals.

How thoroughly the propaganda campaign on behalf of Sacco and Vanzetti succeeded is attested by the world-wide interest that exists today in their fate. Well known men and women sympathetic with Socialism and labor came to the aid of the convicted slayers. Among those who were active in the early days on behalf of the pair were Mrs. Willard D. Straight, of New York, and Mrs. Glendower Evans, of Massachusetts.

Money poured in. Unions, Communist and Socialistic organizations in this country, England, Italy, Spain, France, South America and even Japan, demanded "justice" for Sacco and Vanzetti. There were anti-American demonstrations in the capitals of Europe. Bombs were sent to the American ambassador in Paris and the American consul general in Lisbon.

As the agitation on behalf of Sacco and Vanzetti grew more and more clamorous with the passing years, their counsel fought to obtain a new trial.

On Nov. 5, 1921, there was a hearing on a petition for a new trial, which was finally denied by Judge Thayer on Dec. 25 of that year. Another motion for a new trial was filed on Dec. 30, 1921. A third supplementary motion for a new trial was made July 22, 1922. At that time Sacco went on a hunger strike. At the end of four weeks he was forcibly fed and saved from "the martyr's death" he sought. There was a long examination into his sanity. He was declared sane on Dec. 27, 1923, but there were other sanity investigations with similar result.

Arguments for a new trial were resumed on Oct. 23, 1923. Fresh bills of exceptions were filed on Nov. 21, 1924, after Judge Thayer had denied the previous motion. Vanzetti was examined as to his sanity from December, 1924, to April, 1925, and found of sound mind.

On Jan. 11, 1926, four motions for a new trial were filed, based on the alleged confession of Celestino Madeiros, a convicted murderer, that he and members of a Providence, R. I., gang committed the South Braintree holdup.

Judge Thayer in his decision denying a new trial called Madeiros a crook and a liar whose statements were unworthy of credence.

To set aside a verdict of a jury affirmed by the supreme judicial court of this commonwealth on such an affidavit," the judge said, "would be a mockery upon truth and justice."

Other motions and exceptions by the defense were all denied. On April 5, last, the supreme court of Massachusetts overruled all exceptions and declared "a new trial is not necessary" to prevent a failure of justice.

The supreme court did not review the evidence. It simply declared the Judge Thayer had not erred in any of his legal steps. Professor William E. Hoeking, of Harvard, speaking in Boston last Sunday, attacked the supreme court decision, saying:

"It (the court) inquired only whether Judge Thayer is open to judicial criticism for denying the motion for a new trial. The question was whether Judge Thayer, assuming him to be an intelligent and conscientious judge, could conceivably have regarded the new evidence as immaterial. If so, the court would not order a new trial, even though it may have believed to a man that the new evidence was worth hearing."

Last Saturday Sacco and Vanzetti were sentenced by Judge Thayer to be electrocuted on July 10 next. In dramatic speeches before sentence was passed both denied their guilt and insisted as they were being railroaded to the chair because of their radicalism.

The defense committee plans an appeal to Governor Fuller of Massachusetts for an inquiry into the whole case. William G. Thompson, senior defense counsel, who is an eminent member of the Massachusetts bar, has not indicated whether he will attempt to carry the case into the federal courts on habeas corpus proceedings, nor what steps he contemplates.

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AGRELLA CLAIMS SLAYING OF PROHIBITION WAS ACCIDENT; ADMITS HE TRAILED CAR FOR REVENGE

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and followed when Mamola left the place.

The three men with Agrella were Homer Lusk, 1443 Seventy-third avenue; Joseph Cambra, 2943 Third street; and Stanley Czekiel, 2762 Maxwell avenue, all of them now under arrest.

Agrella said that Lusk, 19 years of age, had driven them to the dance hall in his father's car, which he had borrowed, despite the warnings of his mother not to associate with these men.

When they left the dance hall Agrella said, he tried to induce Lusk to crowd Mamola's car into the curb, but the boy refused. Instead, they trailed behind until lack of gas stalled the agent's car in Richmond.

Seeking to pick a fight, Agrella said, he got out and accused Mamola and his companion, L. A. Johnson, another agent, of side-swiping his car in San Pablo avenue. He then seized Mamola by the coat lapels and dragged him from the car. Agrella is a big man and Mamola was of medium size.

The two fell to the ground, Agrella said, and Mamola fired two shots at him. Agrella said he then managed to get hold of the gun and pressed it toward Mamola's body. It exploded a third time and Mamola relaxed, unconscious in the roadway.

Johnson, who says he forgot that he had a gun in his pocket, ran for help.

Agrella's three companions assisted Agrella into their car. In this they drove to the home of Alfred Agrella, 2807 Kingsland avenue, where Jack Brown, a cousin, ordered Agrella taken to the hospital. There the four were placed under arrest.

Mamola had concluded gathering evidence for a series of raids in Oakland, Hayward and San Leandro and had been loaned to Contra Costa county for similar work. He had received many threats against his life and had sent his wife and two young children to the home of his mother, Mrs. Salvador Mamola, in San Jose. He was living with Johnson in a local rooming house, the location of which they kept secret.

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PLANS FOR NEW LOCAL SCHOOL ARE COMPLETED

Plans have been completed for the new school at Forty-second street and Roosevelt avenue. The plans will be presented to the Richmond elementary board of education on next Tuesday, according to W. T. Helms, superintendent of city schools. The cost of the new structure will be about \$300,000.

Old residences on the property are now being moved away by Burg Brothers, Richmond realtors, who purchased the building at a recent auction conducted by the school board.

James T. Nabett is in charge of putting the finishing touches on the plans to be presented to the board. The new school will be a fireproof building of two stories, with 10 class rooms and an auditorium. Play rooms are being provided on the lower floor. The front entrance will face Forty-second street. The playground in the rear will extend through to Forty-first street.

The property for the new school was purchased by the board for school purposes several years ago. With the increasing population in East Richmond and Mira Vista sections, the conditions in the present schools are becoming overcrowded, necessitating considerable additional space. At present, the children residing in the eastern part of the city are being handled in the Grant school, but even with the new additions made this year, there is hardly sufficient room to properly handle the situation.

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(By Pacific & Atlantic)

PROPERTY LOSS ESTIMATED AT OVER \$500,000

(Continued from Page 1.) the earth at battle, the swirling black funneled monsters dropped from the heavens. A clock, retrieved from the wreckage, told the hour of Rock Springs' tragedy. Its hands were stopped at 7:50 o'clock.

The tornado vent its fury in an area about four miles square. The town was in the center of it, directly in the path of the death dealing wind.

Houses were splintered; trees were hurled throughout brick buildings. Frightened people were plucked from the ground and hurled to death or injury.

The storm lasted about five minutes. Then the tornado, death and broken bodies in its wake, fled to spend its fury in the skies, high above the cries of the stricken victims.

Cries of the dying and wounded pierced the black night. Dazed survivors stumbled among the ruins, their cries for loved ones drowning the faint responses from beneath the twisted mass of debris.

Mrs. Gladys Laurie, telephone operator, distinguished herself when she strove to reach the telephone office to send for help. The place was in the grip of the tornado. Crawling through debris fallen trees and wreckage she reached her emergency set. After some frantic moments she got a call from Camp Woods. Then help came.

The first rescuers reached Rock Springs a little after midnight just as fire threatened to make the town's tier one of ashes. The postoffice and a restaurant building, which had escaped the fury of the storm, caught fire.

The flames shot upward bringing into relief the ruins of what had been a prosperous cattle center a few hours before. Tired rescue workers left their work of mercy and attacked the flames that threatened cremation for the dead and injured still pinned beneath the debris.

Then from out of the heavens came atonement for the tornado. Rain, the night's first blessing from the skies, prevented the spread of flames.

The first injured taken from the ruins were carried to the limestone courthouse where Rock Springs' two physicians administered first aid. Broken limbs were set with the use of an anesthetic. Gaping wounds were cleansed and quickly stitched. There was no confusion here. The two doctors worked in their undershirts.

(By Universal Service) ROCK SPRINGS, Texas, April 13.—At 2:15 o'clock this morning, 61 bodies had been recovered and 157 injured persons had been dug out of the tornado swept ruins of Rock Springs.

By W. L. OWENS (By Universal Service) ROCK SPRINGS, Texas, April 13.—The tornado that demolished Rock Springs Tuesday night struck without warning. It caught us unprepared. No one had a chance to seek shelter in the hurricane cellars.

The twister came from the northeast. A few minutes before it struck the village, I started to leave the house for the courthouse. I noticed the skies were overcast by black clouds but there was no wind. I thought it was just another storm. It was.

A puff of wind and I saw a building at the end of main street lifted from its foundations and hurled across the street through a story and half brick school building. I darted back into the house but before I could get my family to the safety of the cellar, my home collapsed.

Luckily I was able to extricate myself and members of my family who were only slightly injured.

I looked about. There wasn't a house standing. Main street, where a few moments before there were about 100 persons, was a mass of twisted girders and splintered beams.

The cries for help were pitiful. Hundreds were buried beneath the wreckage and there was only a handful of uninjured men to start the rescue work.

Luckily the theatre was closed or else the death toll would have been much larger.

Using candles and oil soaked rags to work by, the debris was attacked with axes, crowbars, anything we could get our hands on.

The first bodies recovered were those of a four and six year old girl, their arms around each other. TORNADO—Galley 2 er. Then the bodies of the mother and father were recovered.

The rescue work was slow as the debris was piled high and the tornado had cut a swath more than a mile wide.

The death toll will exceed 100.

(By Universal Service) MADRID, April 13.—A terrible hurricane swept over the Mediterranean today inflicting enor-

De Pinedo Plane Wreck

This photo, sent by telephone, dramatically shows the passing of the plane that winged over three continents, Francesco de Pinedo's ship, Santa Maria, is seen going up in flames in Roosevelt Lake, Ariz. Note mechanic in boat fleeing from burning craft.



(By Pacific & Atlantic; A. T. & T. transmission)

mous damages on the coasts and rendering hundreds homeless.

At Alicante, 36 fishing smacks were sunk and three fishermen drowned. A cloudburst devastated the crops and flooded the streets of the towns. A cyclone swept the coast near Alhucemas wrecking many small crafts and drowning 20 sailors. It is estimated. Land communications were disrupted by the storm.

The Spanish steamer Castilla was reported in distress from the neighborhood of Melilla.

High seas were reported to have flooded the fishing village of Atunara near Gibraltar causing the inhabitants to flee for safety.

The British destroyer Walrus was reported weather-bound in Malta harbor.

Unusual calm and sunshine followed the raging tempest.

CHICAGO, April 13.—More than 100 persons were killed and 200 injured in a storm that swept over the southwest and middle west last night, according to figures compiled today. The property damages is amounting into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Heavy rainfall throughout the Mississippi valley again sent rivers and streams out of their banks. Flood conditions prevailed on the Wabash river in Indiana, the lower Ohio, the Mississippi and the St. Francis river in Arkansas.

An attempt was made to dynamite the big lake levee in northeastern Arkansas according to a despatch from Jonesboro, Ark.

A gun battle was fought between levee guards and the dynamiters. A crevasse in the levee closed before damage resulted.

(By Universal Service) FORT WORTH, April 13.—Coming from the south a cyclone struck the southern outskirts of Fort Worth, killing a child, uprooting trees and houses, and tearing down all lines of communication to the south and west.

Sweeping eastward toward Dallas the cyclone met a terrific thunderstorm head-on over Grand Prairie. Flames could be seen in the direction of that city from both Dallas and Fort Worth, according to railroad employees. All lines of communication to Grand Prairie were down.

Firemen who started out for Grand Prairie were forced to turn back when the Trinity river went over its banks, covering the only highway to Grand Prairie with several feet of raging water.

PALESTINE, Tex., April 13.—Hail as large as golf balls battered in auto tops, shattered store windows and did thousands of dollars' worth of damage to the tomato crop during a storm that lasted but a few minutes here tonight.

James Fink was the only casualty reported. He was struck on the head by a piece of hail. Nine stitches were taken to close the wound.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 13.—One man, James Carver, 60, was fatally injured in a severe rain today and wind storm, which struck Little Rock and North Little Rock tonight. Scores of trees were blown down.

Carver took refuge behind a signboard, which the wind felled pinning him beneath it. Fear is expressed for other Arkansas towns but owing to crippled wire service it is impossible to check conditions.

READ IT FIRST IN THE RECORD-HERALD.

N. Y. Institute Given \$200,000

(By Universal Service)

NEW YORK, April 13.—A gift of \$200,000 by William Bingham, II, of New York and Cleveland, to the Neurological Institute, was announced today.

The funds will be used for a new building to be dedicated to Dr. John George Gehring of Bethel, Me., "Father Confessor." It is said, for more of the leading men of his own profession than any other specialist of his time. Similarly gift by J. P. Morgan to the institute was announced two weeks ago.

Key Refuses Right To Transfer To Twenty-Third

The Key System Transit company has refused to extend the right of passengers boarding street cars south of East Shore park to transfer to Twenty-third street, according to a letter received by W. W. Scott, chairman of chamber of commerce transportation committee. The transfer privilege was desired on account of the new high school in north Twenty-third street.

Shoe repairing of the better kind at Peterson's, 314 Macdonald ave.

FORMER MAYOR IS PAROLED

(By Universal Service)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—E. R. Moreford, 44, former mayor of St. Joseph, Mich., serving life sentence in San Quentin penitentiary, for robbery, will die a free man.

Moreford was granted an immediate parole today on the recommendation of Dr. Stanley, prison physician, who reported that the prisoner had contracted tuberculosis and that he had but a few weeks to live.

But a mere shadow of his former self, Moreford, was placed aboard a train for St. Joseph. He was convicted of robbery in San Diego in 1924 and sentenced to life imprisonment.

New Way To Stop Fits

Wonderful results are reported by Epilepsy Colonies using a new remedy that stops the most stubborn cases of Epilepsy fits or spasms and is not habit forming. Any reader who sends name to Phenolol Co., Dept. 846, Box 71, St. Johns Place Station, Brooklyn, N. Y., will receive a free booklet explaining this new guaranteed treatment. Write them today.

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About a month ago, cartographers received from Shanghai a report that due to the long period of drought, in the districts around Shanghai, which are thickly populated, Cholera broke out here in the United States a few years ago. It was later reported that American physicians helped the Chinese to check the Cholera. It was also reported that the disease originated in the water from a main from the river. Then a cable-gram received at San Francisco under date of August 17, 1926, described the outbreak of the Cholera in the long duration of drought, and said that since the downpour of heavy rains, the disease had been almost stamped out. This proves that Cholera is checked by the Water Element of Nature.

China is a nation of 430,000,000 people. She experienced pestilences and epidemics of various kinds so far, however, epidemics have never lasted long and never have any of those done China any real harm. However, foreign physicians have at the present time, most of them are stationed at treaty ports furnished by God to keep down their epidemics and pestilences.

In coping with individual ailments, the Chinese base their entire system of healing upon the five principal elements. The water element, they eradicate the disease. For over 4,000 years has been handed through the ages. This method of healing the men of China as well as the common people have used the principal nations in the world, but so far they have not discovered any especially successful methods excepting that, of healing methods, the so-called new inventions, more or less, have been made. Many unnecessary operations are performed, and many premature deaths caused in cases where a cure could have been easily and quickly relieved by merely drinking the herbs.

The herbs constitute a portion of the vegetable kingdom. The five principal elements were created by God. Therefore, the herb treatment is provided by God. Through his extensive and intended knowledge of herbs, the FONG WAN HERB CO. has lived over 12,000 years. Thousands of people are being saved by the FONG WAN HERB CO. TREATMENT from unnecessary operations. A few samples of their testimonials are listed below:

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I had High Blood Pressure, Dizziness, and Heart Trouble for about three years. After having tried many kinds of doctors, I went to a Chinese Herbalist who charged me nothing. I took his treatment for each week's supply than the others. I took his treatment for six weeks but not better.

Then my friend, Mr. Haskell, told me to go to FONG WAN, who had banished his Kidney Trouble of fourteen years, standing. So I went to Fong Wan and he fixed me up all right in eight weeks. This was three months ago, but today I still feel like a new man. I am certain that FONG WAN is strictly honest. He charges no more than others, yet his herbs bring quick results.

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TREATED FOR ULCERS

After having suffered from Stomach Trouble for eight years, my pain became well-nigh unbearable. Although I was treated by many physicians, I grew gradually worse. I could scarcely eat or drink without pain. I had several X-ray treatments by the physicians at the college, all of whom agreed that I had ulcers of the stomach. My condition was so critical that they advised me to have my stomach removed. After being adjusted for long, as they believed I had but six or eight months to live.

Fortunately, a friend of mine urged me to try the FONG WAN HERBS. After having taken the herbs for about three months, I was able to eat almost anything without the slightest distress. I saw a salesman for the Fry Visible Pump Co. and am on the road most of the time, frequently eating such meal in a different town. Nevertheless, I have not yet experienced any symptoms of my former complaint. (Signed) J. S. WORTMAN, Late address: Vallejo, 198 E. St., Phone 173-R, State of California, County of Alameda.

On this 2nd day of May in the year one thousand and nine hundred and twenty-five before me, A. FRIEDENTHAL, a notary in and for said Alameda county, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared J. S. Wortman, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged that he executed same in the witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the county of Alameda, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Signed) A. FRIEDENTHAL, Notary Public, in and for said Alameda county, State of California.

HIS STOMACH HIS MASTER

My stomach was my master for many years. After every meal I had an annoying grating sensation, together with an empty feeling in my stomach. Through lack of proper care, my health was ruined and I was in the hospital several weeks. The doctors first cleaned me out with a stomach pump. Then they treated me for ulcers, and finally, as I did not improve they suggested my digestion with an X-ray. Concluding that they could do nothing for me, they sent me home, suggesting that I undergo an operation.

Then a fellow employee in the S. P. Co., who had been greatly benefited by the FONG WAN CHINESE HERBS, suggested that I try them. The first cup of tea gave me genuine relief, and after a few weeks I was entirely well. I am back at the office and shall be glad to give my personal testimony to any desiring it.

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U.S. MERCHANT MARINE TO BE REORGANIZED

(By Universal Service)

WASHINGTON, April 13.—The shipping board today confirmed the appointment of E. A. Kelly of New York, as director of operations for the Merchant Fleet corporation as the first step in a drastic shakeup of that organization.

Kelly, who is now vice president of operations for the Clyde line, will assume his new duties April 19, succeeding James A. Wilson, who may remain with the organization in another capacity.

Kelly's appointment brings the first real move to make about a general reorganization of the Fleet corporation by its president, General A. C. Dalton, who assumed office nearly a year ago. It is regarded as the forerunner of other drastic changes to come.

As director of operations, Kelly will have much more power than his predecessor, having full control both over the active fleet and the "inactive" or reserve fleet. This was brought about by the board's action in consolidating the fleet control department and the operations department under a single department of operations.

The change automatically removes J. Harry Philbin, vice president of the corporation, as head of the reserve fleet. His duties, in future, will be performed by Kelly as director of operations. The division of ship sales, however, will pass from Philbin's control into the hands of General Dalton himself.

General Dalton announced that the first result of the change will be an attempt to cut the expenses of maintaining the reserve fleet, which amounts to \$3,000,000 annually, by 10 percent before June 30.

While Philbin will remain as vice president for the present, it is believed he will be given an important post in the proposed reorganization of the foreign service of the Fleet corporation, which will take place after the retirement of Joseph Sheedy as European director on May 31.

General Dalton also announced that he proposes to do away with the central organization of the Fleet corporation now functioning for Europe, South America and the Orient. They will be supplanted by regional directors directly responsible to General Dalton.

Thus one director will probably be appointed to handle affairs in the United Kingdom and another for Belgium and France. The directors selected will be men familiar with the language and business conditions of the countries in which they are to function. General Dalton said. At least four such directors will be appointed for Europe and two for South America.

LA JOLLA—Plans under consideration for construction of new Presbyterian church.

SPORTS

THREE 'C' LEAGUE TO SWING INTO ACTION SUNDAY

SCHEDULE FOR FIRST HALF OF SEASON CALLS FOR TEN WEEKS

Three Fast Contests Are Scheduled At Concord, Pittsburg, and Oakland

With three fast contests scheduled for the opening day's play, the six teams in the Three-C league will swing into action next Sunday with games at Concord, Pittsburg and the Oakland Coast league park.

The schedule for the first half of the season, released last night by the league secretary, calls for 10 weeks of play, ending June 19. The opening tilts are as follows: Richmond Sannies vs. Kuhnhardt Candles at Oakland Coast league park.

Antioch vs. Concord, at Concord.

Martinez vs. Pittsburg at Pittsburg.

The remainder of the schedule is as follows:

April 24, Concord vs. Richmond Sannies, at Richmond; Kuhnhardt Candles vs. Martinez, at Martinez.

May 1—Sannies vs. Antioch, at Antioch; Concord vs. Martinez, at Antioch; Kuhnhardt vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

May 8—Sannies vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg; Antioch vs. Martinez, at Martinez; Kuhnhardt vs. Concord, at Concord.

May 15—Martinez vs. Sannies, at Richmond; Pittsburg vs. Concord, at Concord; Kuhnhardt vs. Antioch, at Antioch.

May 22—Kuhnhardt vs. Sannies, at Richmond; Concord vs. Antioch, at Antioch; Pittsburg vs. Martinez, at Martinez.

May 29—Sannies vs. Concord, at Concord; Martinez vs. Kuhnhardt, at Oakland; Antioch vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg.

June 5—Antioch vs. Sannies, at Richmond; Martinez vs. Concord, at Concord; Pittsburg vs. Kuhnhardt, at Oakland.

June 12—Pittsburg vs. Sannies, at Richmond; Concord vs. Kuhnhardt, at Oakland; Martinez vs. Antioch, at Antioch.

June 19—Sannies vs. Martinez, at Martinez; Concord vs. Pittsburg, at Pittsburg; Antioch vs. Kuhnhardt, at Oakland.

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Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Sacramento	10	4	.714
SAN FRANCISCO	9	6	.600
Los Angeles	7	6	.538
MISSIONS	8	7	.533
Portland	7	7	.500
Seattle	7	8	.467
OAKLAND	6	9	.400
Hollywood	2	9	.182

Yesterday's Results

San Francisco 3, Sacramento 2 (10 innings).

Seattle 4, Missions 0.

Los Angeles 11, Oakland 4.

Portland 6, Hollywood 5.

How the Series Stands

San Francisco 2, Sacramento 0.

Missions 1, Seattle 1.

Los Angeles 2, Oakland 0.

Portland 1, Hollywood 0.

Today's Games

Sacramento at San Francisco.

Missions at Seattle.

Oakland at Los Angeles.

Hollywood at Portland.

Next Week's Games

Oakland at San Francisco.

Missions at Portland.

Hollywood at Seattle.

Sacramento at Los Angeles.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	2	0	1.000
Washington	1	0	1.000
Cleveland	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
Detroit	0	0	.000
St. Louis	0	0	.000
Boston	0	1	.000
Philadelphia	0	2	.000

Yesterday's Results

New York 10, Philadelphia 4.

Chicago 7, Cleveland 2.

Detroit-St. Louis, rain.

Boston-Washington, rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	1	0	1.000
Pittsburgh	1	0	1.000
Brooklyn	1	1	.500
Chicago	1	1	.500
Boston	1	1	.500
St. Louis	1	1	.500
Cincinnati	0	1	.000
Philadelphia	0	1	.000

Yesterday's Results

Boston 4, Brooklyn 2.

St. Louis 5, Chicago 0.

New York-Philadelphia, rain.

Pittsburgh-Cincinnati, rain.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 13.—

Oliver Mitchell and Rudy Kallio hooked up in a mound duel today, with the former winning when Camilli, Seal first baseman, blasted a single to center in the 10th inning to score Lefty O'Doul from second. The final score was 3 to 2. It was the second straight defeat for Sacramento.

The score: R. H. E.
Sacramento 2 6 1
San Francisco 3 12 0
Batteries—Kallio and Kohler, Severid; Mitchell and Vargas.

LOS ANGELES, April 13.—Oakland's pennant hopes received another setback today when the Angels hit the offerings of George Boehler to all corners of the lot and won, 11 to 4. Because of the

HEAVY MIXING IS SCHEDULED AT EL CERRITO

That a packed house will greet the boxers at El Cerrito tonight is shown by Joe Rossi's report that there is a big advance sale of seats that looks better than any he has had thus far at his cozy little club. The order for seats has come from near and far as many have heard of Eddie Shepherd, the newly arrived Mormon boy from Salt Lake, and who lays claims to the inter-mountain middle and light heavyweight title. Shepherd has beaten the best of them, which includes such boys as Mickey Rockson and Jess Stringham. The latter two are now fighting much in San Francisco and are steady winners.

Every bout on the card spells class. The semi-windup will feature a real Irish donnybrook. Bud Fisher, a rough tearing middleweight, who has cleaned up all the northern celebrities, takes on Gunner Woods.

The main interest will be the four-round special. Although an eight-round main event is billed, the special is but four. But that four will show little Salvador Ortega. Ortega is known as the Fighting Matador from Mexico City. In his only two starts here he has been the shining light of the show. Salvador meets Joe Vierra of Oakland. Once before these two fought and the fans all who saw their first bout, will relish their second meeting.

Mickey Britton, the Berkeley 110-pound stonk man, will take on Joe Diamond, the pride of the Oakland Press club.

Joe De Maria will stack up against Abe Berg of San Francisco. Harry Walsh meets Jeff Hague in the first bout. Doors will open early tonight so the fans who like the cheaper seats can find ample time to get a good spot close up to what he thinks is a real view. Extra seats have been installed so Joe Rossi does not anticipate any trouble in handling the large crowd that will be on hand.

intense rivalry between the two clubs, Boehler and Ray Jacobs, Angel first sacker, nearly came to blows. The score: R. H. E.
Oakland 4 13 3
Los Angeles 11 14 2
Batteries—Boehler and Baker; Hamilton and Sandberg.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 13.—Herb Brett pitched shut-out ball today and the Indians handed the Mission Bells a 4 to 0 beating. Huggins and Purdy cinched the game for Seattle by hitting home runs. The score: R. H. E.
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Seattle 4 7 0
Batteries—Barfoot and Walters, Whitney; Brett and Jenkins.

PORTLAND, Ore., April 13.—Before a crowd of approximately 16,000 fans, the Portland Beavers nosed out the Hollywood Stars, 6 to 5, today. Elmer Smith, Portland slugger, connected for a home run. The score: R. H. E.
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Grand Golfer



In finals of United North and South amateur golf tournament at Pinehurst, N. C., George Moulton (snapped in action before game) a former Washington caddy, played Eugene Homans, New York, who is 18 years old.

Dougalls Play Local Firemen

The Dougall Hardware nine, under the management of Archie Kimball, will send Ernie Viverius to the mound today with Bill Gualdon behind the bat in an effort to revenge yesterday morning's heroic eleven inning battle at the First street ball park, which was won by the Firemen by a count of 3 to 2. Carl Rabb will pitch this afternoon's contest for the Firemen. In the event that Dougall's cop the game, the deciding contest will probably be played Sunday.

Game Commissioner Speaks Before The Sportsmen's Club

Probably the largest meeting ever held by the Richmond Sportsmen's club took place at Pythian Castle last evening. Harry Carr, Clarence McGrew, H. B. Brown and William R. Heegar were the personnel of the committee for the affair.

A pedro card contest was held, with Tom Shade winner of a large, handsome hunting knife. I. R. Hunt, Jr., of the California fish and game commission, gave the club members a few pointers on outdoor life.

The next meeting of the organization will be on April 27. Before a crowd of approximately 16,000 fans, the Portland Beavers nosed out the Hollywood Stars, 6 to 5, today. Elmer Smith, Portland slugger, connected for a home run. The score: R. H. E.
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MATRIMONIAL DIFFICULTIES OF SALM END

(By Universal Service)

PARIS, April 13.—Countess Salm, the former Millicent Rogers, multi-millionaire American oil heiress, was granted a divorce this morning by the Seine tribunal. At the same time the tribunal granted a legal separation to Count Salm.

The count had asked the court for a separation and the countess had asked for a divorce. Therefore both petitions were granted. No mention was made regarding the custody of the Salm's child, Peter, but it is generally understood that the baby will be reared by its mother and educated in the United States.

The marriage of Millicent Rogers and Count Salm in New York three years ago was the culmination of one of the most sensational elopements in the history of the "40's."

Millicent had just made her debut and was besieged with suitors. She eloped with Count Salm, however, and they were married in the Municipal building. It was reported at the time that the count had jilted another girl to marry Millicent, but this was subsequently denied.

Right after the marriage, Col. H. H. Rogers, Standard Oil magnate, made it plain that he would have nothing to do with his son-in-law. The Salm's thereupon went to Europe where they danced for a short time in a musical hall. There was no question but what the Salm's were pressed for money.

Later Col. Rogers went to Europe and brought his daughter home. Count Salm followed his bride to the United States shortly after their child was born, and by court order was permitted to see him at frequent intervals at Palm Beach, where Millicent had gone for the winter.

Early in New York for separation and several letters of Millicent were submitted as evidence. The trial was abruptly halted, however, by consent of both sides. It was said at the time that there were certain letters in the count's possession that the Rogers family did not wish to become public property.

Several stories were published to the effect that the count had received a settlement from Col. Rogers for \$250,000, with the understanding that he was to allow Millicent to obtain a divorce in Paris and that he should not seek the custody of the child.

The separation action of the count in Paris has never been satisfactorily explained.

According to French law governing divorces obtained here Millicent cannot remarry before 18 full months have elapsed after the granting of the decree. A curious point in this case is that while he is only legally separated from his wife, the count is nevertheless free to remarry, because the wife obtained the divorce.

At the same time from the Catholic church standpoint he is also free to remarry because since he was never married in the Catholic church his marriage to Millicent and the consequent divorce and separation are utterly ignored by the Vatican.

The grounds on which Millicent procured her decree were the of both sides.

Hundreds of Chinese are Killed In Attack on Concession; U. S. Awaits Answer to Ultimatum

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Foreign observers are certain these figures are minimized. Wong-Shou-Hwa, chairman of the general labor union, was arrested Monday and four leading unionists were secretly executed by the Nationalists Tuesday.

The Nationalists announced the raids netted 3000 rifles, 20 machine guns, 200 Mauser repeaters, 400 pistols, approximately 1,000,000 rounds of ammunition, seven carloads of axes and 200 long handled pikes.

Fifteen thousand soldiers conducted the raids. Recent clashes between the radical labor forces and the Nationalist troops, are said to have provoked the attack.

The scene of the attack is near the borders of the French concession. The attack is described here as a massacre. It started when agitators, addressing a mass meeting in the Chapel district, denounced the Conservative elements in the Nationalist ranks. The speakers incited laborers and labor pickets to storm the compound and disarm the Nationalist soldiers.

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Unless a satisfactory reply to the American demands for an apology and reparations for the Nanking outrages is received by Friday, the threatened reprisals will be taken, it was indicated here today.

As reports seem to indicate the reply, if made then, will prove to be a sharp retort and anything except an apology, the situation assumed a serious aspect in official quarters.

Officials frankly feared the United States would be compelled to adopt "such measures as may be necessary" to enforce the demands. The nature of these measures is being carefully kept secret, but is the subject of exchange between the governments which joined in the protest.

As in the case of the demands, which were termed "studiously moderate" by the American government, the state department is again urging that the reprisals be as mild as they can consistently be. This probably will mean a blockade of ports held by the Cantonese, including those on the Yangtze.

But, it was pointed out, anything which the powers may do will only aggravate a situation literally "loaded with dynamite."

It is regarded as quite certain to require the presence of more troops and possibly more warships and this step is being seriously considered, since few additional marines are available and it may become necessary to use a usual ones of desertion and refusal of the count to return to their domicile as expressed in his autograph letter, in which he said:

"Owing to your family attitude toward me I cannot imagine how I was able to stand living with you as long as I did."

The grounds alleged in the count's complaint were similar ones and the decree, as commented on by experts here is one "de plano," righting the wrongs

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Such was the comment of Clarence W. Barron, publisher of the Wall Street Journal and Boston News Bureau, after a conference with President Coolidge today.

"Prosperity will continue because we have the largest wage fund in the history of the world, unlimited credit under the Federal Reserve System and a general improvement in agricultural conditions. Money will not go higher but will be cheaper."

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Barron was on his way north from Florida, which, he said, "has come back with great credit to itself."

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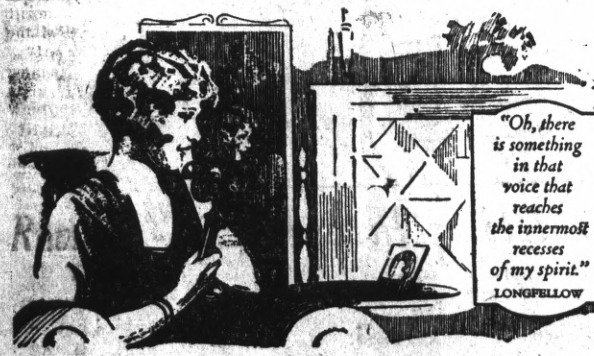
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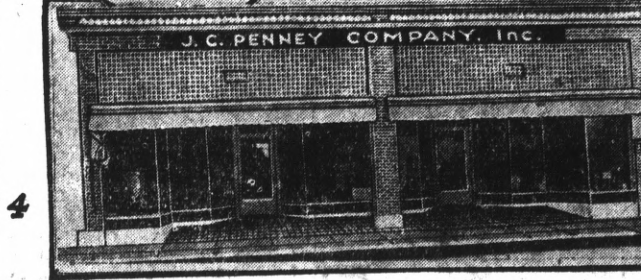
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COOLIDGE TO APPOINT JUDGE IN CALIFORNIA

WASHINGTON, April 13.—Department of Justice officials today were puzzled by a statement emanating yesterday from the White House to the effect that President Coolidge soon will name a federal judge for the northern district of California, but is unable to make an early decision by reason of the fact that Senators Johnson and Shortridge have endorsed different candidates for the appointment.

This was the first intimation officials here have had that Senator Shortridge has made a recommendation for the judgeship. Senator Johnson has given his endorsement to Judge Franklin Griffin, and if any recommendation has been given the President by Senator Shortridge it is unknown to the department of justice.

Inquiry at the department today resulted in the statement that no endorsement from Senator Shortridge is on record. Similar inquiries at the White House failed to disclose that an endorsement has been made.

When Senator Shortridge left Washington for California he intimated that he would make no recommendation for the position until late in the summer.

Among those who will go to Sacramento are P. M. Sanford, president of the Chamber of Commerce, E. B. Bull, J. F. Galvin, G. E. Milnes, J. F. Brooks, Mayor Chandler, W. W. Scott, James A. McVittie, Fred D. Barr.

Congressman Curry will be told of the deep appreciation of the people of Richmond for his splendid support of the city's harbor development program in Washington, with the United States Board of Army Engineers and other activities in aiding this city. He will also be informed of Richmond's plans for the future and his advice and opinion will be deeply appreciated.

The hospital committee, headed by Charles S. Renwick, reserved its report for a future meeting.

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(Continued from Page 1) highway. The city of Richmond has already started repairs on Thirteenth street and the Board of Supervisors have called for bids on the county road construction, the contract calling for completion on or before May 20th.

"Richmond can look forward to a tremendous increase of transient traffic when the Carquinez bridge is opened on May 21st. We must be prepared to take care of this traffic which will utilize the auto ferry to and from San Francisco. The railroad company is awake to the situation and is preparing to expedite this traffic."

E. B. Bull, chairman of the harbor committee, made an interesting report on the work of the committee in checking over the harbor development and in making an analysis of future development looking toward steps that will provide additional funds to give Richmond's harbor all the facilities needed to attract new industries and to continue to deserve government support and cooperation.

In compliment to Congressman Charles F. Curry directors of the Chamber of Commerce, the harbor committee, Mayor Mattie Chandler and other progressive and active Richmond citizens will go to Sacramento Saturday and have luncheon with the congressman at the Travelers Hotel.

Among those who will go to Sacramento are P. M. Sanford, president of the Chamber of Commerce, E. B. Bull, J. F. Galvin, G. E. Milnes, J. F. Brooks, Mayor Chandler, W. W. Scott, James A. McVittie, Fred D. Barr.

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EARL CARROLL CRITICALLY ILL ON PRISON TRIP

(By Universal Service) GREENVILLE, S. C., April 13.—After being unconscious for eight hours, physicians at the Greenville city hospital admitted late this afternoon that Earl Carroll, New York theatre producer, was in a serious condition, and that fear was felt for his life.

Carroll was removed to the hospital here when the train on which he was traveling from New York to Atlanta, to begin serving a sentence of a year and a day in the federal prison, arrived in Greenville.

Carroll is charged with perjury in connection with the famous "bathub party" staged in New York.

At 5:20 o'clock Earl Carroll was still in a state of coma, and attending physicians announced that his condition was "critical". A diagnosis of his case has not been completed, it was said, but it has been ascertained that the theatre producer did not take poison, as first reported.

Other physicians have been called in for consultation, and it was said that a prominent New York physician will be summoned unless the condition of Carroll takes a decided turn for the better tonight.

(By Universal Service) ATLANTA, April 13.—When Earl Carroll, the theatrical producer, takes up his abode in the Federal penitentiary for a year and a day he will be put to work as an orderly in the prison bathhouse.

This is in keeping with the policy that convicts be given work for which they are best suited. Warden Snook said today.

GREENVILLE, S. C., April 13.—"Earl Carroll is not pretending he is in a genuine state of coma," declared Dr. C. Bates who with Dr. R. C. Bruce is attending the New York theatrical producer bound for federal prison at Atlanta.

Carroll was removed from a railway train in an unconscious condition. One of the physicians is constantly at his bedside watching for developments which might indicate the nature of the trouble that has brought about the condition.

second bridge plan would probably be submitted in two weeks by the Richmond-San Rafael Ferry company or allied interests. Another large delegation of Richmond men will attend the supervisors' meeting on April 25th. Present at yesterday's directors' meeting were: President Sanford, Directors H. A. Johnson, Harry Albert, Larkin J. Young, E. B. Bull, J. F. Brooks, James A. McVittie, Al Paulsen, W. W. Scott, George N. Rooker, Fred Caudle, C. S. Renwick, W. T. Holmes, H. DeLap.

David Belasco Threatened By Blindness

(By Universal Service)

NEW YORK, April 13.—Facing eternal darkness and with one side paralyzed David Belasco, noted producer, made plans a few weeks ago to carry on his work in spite of these handicaps. This was revealed today by the producer, who is back at work.

He was injured in an automobile collision and at the time it was reported that his injuries were slight. However, he said that he was blind for three days.

"In the three days of blindness," he declared, "I asked them if I would be blind forever, and they said they did not want to talk about that. I told them I didn't care, but I wanted to know so I could plan to have my plays read to me and figure out designs for scenery and listen to my actors rehearse."

"I told them I would sacrifice anything to live and thanks to the skill of the surgeons and nurses I have not had to sacrifice anything."

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House: Thomas M. Carlson, chairman; Dr. C. Walter Cole, Walter Cole, C. K. Parker, E. W. Dale.

Widows and Orphans: Hiram E. Jacobs, chairman; Ira Vaughn, Thomas M. Carlson.

Community welfare: George Fredenberg, W. W. Scott, J. E. McKinnon, R. R. Veale, Oscar Olsen, S. B. Merry, Zeb Knott, E. J. Garrard, Dr. C. L. Abbott.

Leprosy: Hiram E. Jacobs, L. J. Thomas, H. J. Hennessey. Mothers Day: Francis Miller, Walker, H. H. Mylander, Ernest Flores.

Flag Day: J. J. Gilmore, Ed Helten, Charles Bulger, M. E. Near.

Finance: Thomas Cole, Dr. C. Walter Cole, John Amussen, Music: Dennis Shaw, chairman; Errol Lane, William Darrell, Jack Bennett, Bernard Welscher.

Membership: John A. Miller, chairman; J. E. Durand, S. B. Merry, George Dutta, Charles Bulger, Edward Ziem, Bud Near, William Jordan, Judge A. H. McKinnon, Howard Flint, Charles Brichman, W. W. Scott, Walter B. Trull, C. V. Mero, Archie Winchelo, Ernest Higgins.

Visiting: Charles K. Parker, chairman; Francis Miller, Dennis Burns, E. R. Axelsson, Edward Usher, H. J. Fircher, A. M. Irwin, W. F. Wilson, H. J. Hennessey, J. F. Healy, A. N. Soleim, for Richmond; Charles Bulger, Dike Josslyn, for Martinez; George Adams, Judge A. H. McKinnon, for El Cerrito; Harry Stow, Ted Wiget, Edward Zell, for Walnut Creek; W. J. Lewis, Fred Newton, for Crockett.

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BRITISH NAVAL BUDGET PLAYED

(By Universal Service) LONDON, April 13.—That the conservative government is forcing the pace in naval building was the accusation of Lloyd George in the house of commons today in the course of the debate on the budget.

"The United States is not going on with her naval program," said the former premier. "She is not anxious to go on but we are forcing the pace where we might save millions in money. We send a minister to Geneva to tell foreign nations to reduce their armaments and they reply: 'hadn't you better turn our attention to your own armaments?' they accuse us of hypocrisy; and there is a certain element of truth in it as long as this expenditure continues."

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